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TAGS: CPAS, PFOR, LY, MT, US

SUBJECT: PASSPORTS LIBYA

REF: A. TRIPOLI 6944; B. VALLETTA 860; C. VALLETTA 844

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2. TWO AMERICAN CITIZENS ( ERICSON AND LEE, SEE REF. C) WHO WORKING FOR LARG ON KUFRAH PROJECT AND WHO FALL WITHIN ONE OF CATEGORIES CURRENT EXEMPTIONS APPARENTLY ADMITTED TO LIBYA MAY 2 AFTER DEPARTING MALTA WITHOUT PAYING HOTEL BILL.

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3. THOMAS' S CHILDREN MENTIONED REF. C APPARENTLY

REUNITED WITH PARENTS MAY 6. FAMILY DEPARTED  
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4. APPRECIATE BEING KEPT INFORMED DEVELOPMENTS RE  
LIBYAN PASSPORTS PROBLEM. GETZ

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